

DBU Books Available in February 2012 (53 total)**Fiction****Abinadi** by H. B. Moore. **DBU01149** (9 hrs)

In this Book of Mormon novel, Raquel, a daughter of one of King Noah's priests, has a secret love in Abinadi, a commoner. When King Noah demands that Raquel join his harem, she flees and marries Abinadi. The couple find joy in their community and in their son, but their faith is tested when the Lord calls Abinadi as His prophet. Narrated by Gary Armstrong.

Borrowed Light by Carla Kelly. **DBU01106** (14 hrs)

In this romance, Julia Darling accepts a job as a cook on a rugged Wyoming ranch after breaking her engagement to a returned missionary in civilized Salt Lake. Her boss is a man with a checkered past, and, as she faces emotional turmoil and natural disasters, she discovers her biggest challenge is to find her own testimony. Narrated by Thomas Black.

Brigham's Boys by Marlene Bateman Sullivan. **DBU01025** (8 hrs)

This book examines the personal stories behind 16 men Brigham Young relied upon to build up the Great Basin. Each chapter describes the great Church service of each man and his relationship with Brigham Young. Those included are George Washington Bean, John M. Bernhisel, James S. Brown, Howard Egan, Jacob Hamblin, Ephraim K. Hanks, Edward Hunter, Daniel W. Jones, John D. Lee, Jesse C. Little, Isaac Morley, Thomas Rhoades, Thomas E. Ricks, Orrin Porter Rockwell, Lot Smith, and Hosea Stout. Narrated by David Toronto.

The Cedar Post, 1. The Pristine American Dream Series by Jack R. Rose. **DBU01183** (11 hrs)

This novel by a sign language instructor at BYU is set in Declo, Idaho in 1966-67. It centers on a young man graduating from high school who feels trapped in mediocrity and powerless to make significant changes. Then he develops a friendship with a deaf-blind man, named Ur, who teaches him about the rights inherent in the pristine American dream. Narrated by Raymond Spencer.

A Distant Shore, 3. Shadows of Brierley by Anita Stansfield. **DBU01152** (8 hrs)

Volume 3 of the Shadows of Brierley series continues the story of the privileged Scottish MacBrier family in Nauvoo in 1842. Ian and Wren Brierley are happy in their new home and are expecting a new baby. When Joseph Smith visits, he has a message destined to change their lives and challenge their faith. Narrated by Thomas Black.

The Fairy Thorn by Dorothy Keddington. **DBU01022** (7 hrs, 19 mins)

Small town librarian Lucy Norris longs for romance and adventure, yet her life is a calendar of sameness- until the morning she spies a tall ship sailing through Deception Pass off the Washington coast. The sighting becomes a catalyst for change and Lucy soon finds herself a key player in a dangerous masquerade and the quest for a legendary lost painting. Narrated by Robin Thorn.

Finding Mercie by Blaine Yorgason. **DBU01044** (13 hrs, 40 mins)

In this mystery/suspense Hector Lopez rescues a child left at a murder scene on a frigid Chicago night. The prejudiced eye of detective Lee Tierney sees Hector as a killer, not a good Samaritan. As Hector's life unravels, he tries to find the killer before losing his own life. Narrated by David Toronto.

First Love and Forever, 1. Emily Hall by Anita Stansfield. **DBU01227** (7 hrs, 30 mins)

This contemporary novel addresses the difficulties of teen pregnancy. Sydney is a straight-A student heading to college on a scholarship, and Alex is a quiet jock preparing to serve an LDS mission. But their dreams are shattered on the eve of their high school graduation when they find out that Sydney is pregnant. Separated, they must both trust in God as they seek to rebuild their lives and shattered dreams. Narrated by Nick Romero. (Replaces RCU06274)

The Hainan Incident by D. M. Coffman. **DBU01170** (9 hrs)

This adventure/suspense novel finds American attorney, Yi Jichun seeking a much-needed respite on Hainan, an island in the South China Sea. Instead he uncovers an international terrorist group that targets global shipping channels. As the American military organizes an assault, Yi must reconcile the laws governing the land with the laws governing his honor. Narrated by Fred Luttmr.

Hope's Journey by Stephanie Connelley Worlton. **DBU01177** (9 hrs)

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Hunting Gideon by Jessica Draper. **DBU01014** (7 hrs, 35 mins)

In this science fiction adventure, Sue Anne Jones and Loren Hunter work for the FBI's National Infrastructure Protection Center. Their new assignment is to hunt down a cyber-terrorist named Gideon. He has infiltrated the financial system, and warns that he can take control of the rest of the virtual world through the V-Net. Sue and Loren scramble to avert the ultimate online disaster. Narrated by Ron Hyer.

Imprints, 2. Autumn Rain by Rachel Ann Nunes. **DBU01039** (11 hrs, 19 mins)

Volume 2 of a mystery series featuring Autumn Rain, who has the extraordinary ability to receive impressions from objects that have special meaning to their owners. With the help of Portland private detective, Ethan McConnell, she searches for a missing young woman. Autumn's involvement causes events that threaten her and those around her. Narrated by Julie Dubois.

Like a Fire is Burning, 2. Work and the Glory by Gerald N. Lund. **DBU01269** (18 hrs, 19 mins)

This 1991 novel is volume 2 in the author's series, "The Work and the Glory," and continues the saga of the Steed family during the early years of LDS Church history, 1830-1836. As the infant Church expands and spreads westward into Ohio and Missouri, the Steeds are swept up in the unfolding drama. Narrated by David Toronto. (Replaces RCU 5708)

Messiah by Toni Sorenson. **DBU01198** (17 hrs, 30 mins)

This Book of Mormon novel is an inspired testimony of Christ's sacred appearance on the American continent. It centers on Kiah, a warrior of God, who labors as a missionary among Nephites and Lamanites caught in destructive cycles of pride and sin. He must face the bitterness of corruption before tasting the sweetness of a promise fulfilled. Narrated by Roland Pitt.

Montana Summer by Jeanette Miller. **DBU01156** (9 hrs)

In this romance, Shelby Hamlin has apparently found her ideal man in Brad Thompson. When she travels alone to Montana to meet his family, she is warmly embraced by all except his brother, Cameron. Shelby and Cameron develop a complicated romantic relationship, and she wonders if she can have the love she's always wanted without destroying the family of her dreams. Narrated by Fred Luttmr.

No Unhallowed Hand, 7. Work and the Glory by Gerald N. Lund. **DBU01273** (20 hrs, 28 mins)

Volume 7 of the "Work and the Glory" series picks up the story shortly after the martyrdom of Joseph and Hyrum Smith, and takes the saga of the Restoration and the Steed family from June 1844 to February 1846. The Saints witness a series of power plays, but eventually the Twelve take their rightful place as leaders of the Church, with Brigham Young as their head. Narrated by Gary Dean. (Replaces RCU06172)

Pillar of Light, 1. Work and the Glory by Gerald N. Lund. **DBU01268** (15 hrs, 22 mins)

This 1990 book is volume 1 in the series of LDS Church historical novels, "The Work and the Glory." This volume introduces the Steed family and covers the years 1827-1830: the coming forth of the Book of Mormon, the restoration of the priesthood, and the organization of the Church. What will be the response of a simple, honest family to Joseph Smith and his story of a pillar of light. Narrated by David Toronto. (Replaces RCU05673)

Praise to the Man, 6. Work and the Glory by Gerald N. Lund. **DBU01272** (24 hrs, 12 mins)

Volume 6 of "The Work and the Glory" series continues the saga of LDS history through the experiences of the fictional Steed family. This volume covers events in Nauvoo during the years 1841 through 1844 and culminates with Joseph and Hyrum Smith's date with destiny in a town called Carthage. Narrated by Gary Dean. (Replaces RCU06112)

Pumpkin Roll, 6. Culinary Mystery by Josi S. Kilpack. **DBU01209** (12 hrs)

In volume 6 of the Culinary Mystery series, Sadie Hoffmiller is in Boston around Halloween with her boyfriend babysitting his three young grandsons. The boys insist that Mrs. Wapple, the lady across the street, is a witch. When Mrs. Wapple is attacked in her home, Sadie finds herself embroiled in a series of unexplained events with life-or-death consequences. Narrated by Alan Willey.

Rearview Mirror by Stephanie Black. **DBU01258** (12 hrs)

This mystery/suspense novel centers on Fiona Claridge, a professor in a small New England town. In a car crash, she injures herself, and her roommate, Mia Hardy, is killed. Someone begins leaving Fiona malicious reminders of Mia's death. Her stalker could be a disgruntled student or the wife of an old flame or someone else. The messages escalate to murder, and Fiona hopes she is not the next victim. Narrated by Alan Willey.

Season of Joy, 5. Work and the Glory by Gerald N. Lund. **DBU01271** (19 hrs, 3 mins)

In volume 5 of "The Work and the Glory" series, the Steed family enjoys a time of rejuvenation (1839-1841) as the Saints recover from the horrors of the Missouri persecutions and find refuge across the Mississippi in Illinois, where they found the city of Nauvoo. Narrated by Gary Dean. (Replaces RCU05975)

Secrets in Zarahemla by Sariah S. Wilson. **DBU01168** (9 hrs)

This romantic Book of Mormon adventure centers on Kiah, daughter of captain Moroni, who is captured by the Lamanite called Jeran. She is determined to use her warrior training to fight Jeran, but must accept him as an ally when the evil Corahan desires Kiah as his wife. Narrated by Alan Willey.

So Great a Cause, 8. Work and the Glory by Gerald N. Lund. **DBU01274** (17 hrs, 23 mins)

Volume 8 of "The Work and the Glory" series continues the retelling of LDS Church history through the fictional Steed family as they begin the great migration west. It is early 1846 as they begin the difficult journey across Iowa. Another group of Saints travel by ship around South America headed for California. Also headed for California is the ill-fated Donner-Reed party. Narrated by David Toronto. (Replaces RCU06512)

Some Sweet Day by Jennie Hansen. **DBU01252** (10 hrs)

This romantic novel is about Carly, a young woman who agrees to move to a remote cabin with her brother, Josh, and his two children upon the death of Josh's wife. But Josh comes under the influence of a preacher who reigns with absolute power over his congregation. Danger, intrigue, and romance find Carly when she meets Deputy Wolverton, who has been investigating the mountain preacher. Narrated by Alan Willey. (Replaces RCU06544)

Thy Gold to Refine, 4. Work and the Glory by Gerald N. Lund. **DBU01270** (17 hrs, 17 mins)

Volume 4 in "The Work and the Glory" series of LDS historical novels. In the summer of 1838, the Steed family is happily reunited in Far West, Missouri. Then begins a maelstrom of intense and tragic events which culminates in the expulsion from Missouri. Narrated by Scott Winter. (Replaces RCU05874)

Wedding Letters by Jason F. Wright. **DBU01259** (8 hrs)*

In this sequel to The Wednesday Letters (RCU08586), Noah is preparing to marry Rachel. When a secret from Rachel's past surfaces, Noah and his parents must find a way to heal Rachel's heart and save the wedding. Perhaps a scrapbook of wedding letters filled with good wishes and marriage advice will hold the key. Narrated by Gary Armstrong.

Wet Desert by Gary Hansen. **DBU01162** (20 hrs)

In this adventure/suspense novel, Grant Stevens is a mid-level manager for the Bureau of Reclamation. Left temporarily in charge, he must win a desperate race against an environmental terrorist bent on restoring the Colorado River to its natural state by blowing up the dams. Narrated by Nathaniel Kemp.

When Tomorrow Comes by Jennie Hansen. **DBU01253** (7 hrs)

This book is a "Novel of East and West, Youth and Experience, Love and Freedom." It is the story of Jacey Mathews, who at age 23 inherits her uncle's ranch in the Sanpete valley. Ready for a change, she heads to Utah from back East to begin the adventure of a lifetime. Narrated by Fred Luttmir. (Replaces RCU06492)

Wrong Number by Rachelle J. Christensen. **DBU01031** (6 hrs, 20 mins)

In this romantic suspense novel, Aubree Stewart receives a mysterious phone call, and soon finds herself swept up in a world of danger, intrigue, and murder. With the help of the FBI, she races to protect herself and her family, but she forgets to protect her own heart. Narrated by Ann Kelly.

For Younger Readers

Balance, 2. Cousins Series by Jean Stringham. **DBU01171** (10 hrs)

Volume 2 of a series of books about cousins. Twelve-year-old Adele decides that her life, her parents, and her many siblings lack elegance, but she comes face-to-face with some hard realities when she finds out that things are not always what they seem. Adele learns the fine line between being sophisticated and being just plain stuck-up. For grades 5-8. Narrated by Gary Armstrong.

Choke, 2. Pillogy by Obert Skye. **DBU01040** (5 hrs, 45 mins)

In volume 2 of the series, Beck Phillips, now 16, gets himself and his friends Kate and Wyatt embroiled in more dragon adventures. They discover and hatch the last remaining dragon stone. For junior and senior high readers. Narrated by Eric Burns.

Pillage, 1. Pillogy by Obert Skye. **DBU01038** (5 hrs, 30 mins)

Upon his mother's death, fifteen-year-old Beck Phillips is sent to live with an eccentric uncle in a remote manor house, where he learns that his family suffers from a curse that allows him to make plants grow on command and dragon eggs hatch. For junior and senior high readers. Narrated by Eric Burns.

Will You Still Love Me? by Rick Walton. **DBU01008** (10 mins)

A son poses a number of scenarios to his father and asks if, under certain circumstances, his father will still love him. His father explains that there are always consequences to his actions, but assures him that he will always love him. For grades K-3. Narrated by Rona Black.

Nonfiction

Backroads of Utah by Theresa Husarik. **DBU01028** (4 hrs, 37 mins)

This book is a guide to 30 of Utah's best drives along the state's backroads. After describing the route, the book describes the scenery and provides interesting background and history on the area covered. Narrated by Jessica Van Buren.

Best Easy Day Hikes: Canyonlands and Arches and by Bill Schneider. **DBU01027** (1 hr, 20 mins)

This brief book describes four hikes at Arches National Park, eight hikes in the Island in the Sky District of Canyonlands National Park, six hikes in the Needles District of Canyonlands National Park, and two hikes in the Maze District and Horseshoe Canyon areas of Canyonlands National Park. These are "the best easy day hikes" and are generally short for those who only have a day or two in the area and would like a choice sampling of the special features of the two parks. Narrated by Jessica Van Buren.

Catholic Roots, Mormon Harvest by Eric Shuster. **DBU01195** (8 hrs, 30 mins)

Subtitled "A Story of Conversion and 40 Comparative Doctrines," this book tells the conversion story of the author and his wife as they searched for spiritual fulfillment. It then provides a respectful and enlightening comparison of 40 key doctrines that testified to them of the restoration of the gospel. Narrated by Thomas Black.

Chords of Strength by David Archuleta. **DBU01032** (6 hrs, 54 mins)

Subtitled "A Memoir of Soul, Song, and the Power of Perseverance," this book is a personal memoir in which the American idol contestant shares his unexpected and inspiring story. He describes the strength he draws from his unshakable faith and his unyielding family. Narrated by Sharon Soutter.

Enabled by the Power of Christ by E. Richard Packham. **DBU01000** (6 hrs, 41 mins)

The author clearly and lovingly describes the need to know Christ so we can use the power of His Atonement in our lives in order to achieve our celestial glory. Narrated by Thomas Williams.

Experiencing Christ by Randall J. Brown. **DBU01020** (6 hrs, 10 mins)

Subtitled "Your Personal Journey to the Savior," this book offers hope by illustrating that every affliction and trial of mortality serves a sacred purpose. Each of us is tutored on a personal level through our unique God-given challenges. Narrated by David Toronto.

Finding Beauty in a Broken World by Terry Tempest Williams. **DBU01019** (14 hrs, 15 mins)

Ranging from Ravenna, Italy to the Colorado Plateau of the American Southwest to a small village in Rwanda, the author provides a singular meditation and a work of uncommon perceptions on how the natural and human worlds both collide and connect in violence and beauty. Narrated by Elise Arseneau.

Forgiving Ourselves by Wendy Ulrich. **DBU01196** (8 hrs, 51 mins)

Subtitled "Getting Back up When We Let Ourselves Down," this book by a psychologist combines the pure doctrines of the restored gospel and the practical perspectives of psychology to teach readers to journey from self-blame to self-forgiveness and repentance. Narrated by Alan Willey.

Home Waters by George B. Handley. **DBU01213** (10 hrs)

This book by a BYU professor of humanities and comparative literature is subtitled "A Year of Recompenses on the Provo River." It combines nature writing, local history, theology, environmental history, and personal memoir. The author's meditations are arranged by season, beginning with Summer in the High Uintas headwaters of the Provo River and ending in the Spring on Utah Lake. Narrated by Thomas Black.

Joseph Smith by Robert V. Remini. **DBU01021** (7 hrs, 20 mins)

An American historian and biographer portrays the founder of the Church. The book asserts that Joseph Smith (1805-1844) and his religious movement are characteristic of the Jacksonian era. It also compares Mormon beliefs to those of other Christian faiths. Narrated by David Toronto.

Kiss it Good-bye by John Moody. **DBU01023** (9 hrs, 45 mins)

Subtitled "The Mystery, the Mormon, and the Moral of the 1960 Pittsburgh Pirates," this book takes a nostalgic look at the team that beat the Yankees in the World Series. It concentrates on Vernon Law, the Pirate star pitcher, an Idaho farm boy, widely known as The Deacon, a friendly nickname derived from his Mormon upbringing. Narrated by David Toronto.

Lectures on Faith by Joseph Smith. **DBU01006** (3 hrs, 20 mins)

This book collects the seven lessons popularly known as the Lectures on Faith, originally delivered by the Prophet Joseph Smith to a class of the elders in Kirtland during the winter of 1834-35. Narrated by David Toronto. (Replaces CBU06383).

Man of Holiness by Vaugh J. Featherstone. **DBU01242** (7 hrs)

A member of the Quorum of the Seventy examines the character and compassion of Jesus Christ as well as the Christ-like examples of the Lord's modern-day prophets. Narrated by Thomas Black. (Replaces CBU06661)

Seven Miracles that Saved America by Christ Stewart. **DBU01033** (12 hrs)

Subtitled "Why They Matter and Why We Should Have Hope," this book cites compelling evidence that the hand of Providence has indeed preserved the USA on multiple occasions. At none of these critical junctures was a positive outcome certain, and yet America prevailed. This is because God still cares about what happens here. Narrated by David Toronto.

Stand a Little Taller by Gordon B. Hinckley. **DBU01036** (4 hrs, 39 mins)

Subtitled "Counsel and Inspiration for Each Day of the Year," this brief book contains for each day of the year a passage from scripture followed by a reflection by President Hinckley. Narrated by Robin Thorn. (Replaces RCU05155).

Stories from the Life of Porter Rockwell by John W. Rockwell. **DBU01034** (4 hrs, 52 mins)

This book recounts stories about Porter Rockwell that provide insight into his character, his incredible physical strength and skill, and his devotion to the restored gospel. The most accounts involve "Porter and Joseph." These are followed by "Porter in the West" and "Porter and the Outlaws." Narrated by Ernie Eberhard.

Surround Yourself with Greatness by Chad Lewis. **DBU01003** (14 hrs, 30 mins)

In his autobiography, the three-time Pro Bowl tight end of the Philadelphia Eagles affirms that every good thing in his life is a direct result of his family and his faith. He recalls his childhood, his missionary service in Taiwan, his BYU playing days in the mid-1990s, his NFL career, and life after football. Narrated by David Toronto.

That's Faith! By Timothy L. Carver. **DBU01201** (3 hrs)

This book by a seminary teacher can help teens and parents alike measure their spiritual status in an uplifting and encouraging way. With plenty of entertaining stories, this book is a great guide to living life as a faithful LDS teen. Narrated by Thomas Black.

Women of the Old Testament by Camille Fronk Olson. **DBU01024** (13 hrs, 45 mins)

This book begins its examination of women in the Old Testament with Eve, and then looks at wives of the patriarchs (Sarah and Hagar, Rebekah, and Leah and Rachel), prophetesses (Miriam, Deborah, Hannah, and Huldah), women who influenced law (Shiphrah and Puah, Daughters of Zelophehad, and Abigail) and unnamed women (the widow of Zarephath, the Shunammite, and the little maid). Narrated by Alison Jensen.

Wyoming Range War by John W. Davis. **DBU01030** (11 hrs, 10 mins)

Provides a history of the Johnson County, Wyoming range war in 1892. This book treats the events as a blatant and violent attempt by the cattle kings to conquer the small-propertyed citizens of this north central Wyoming county. Narrated by Eric Burns.